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To Whom It May Concern:

I am for settling the Microsoft Case. I believe that it was wrong in the first place to bring this to court. The company is not perfect---but what they have done incorrectly does not merit a case being brought against them.

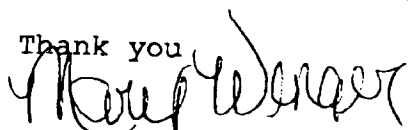
This compnay and Mr. Gates has done more for many in this country than any other company. They have helped many schools and many, many charities, and many, many people when other companies would not even lift a hand.

Also---We have obligations to move beyond this. We have a war with terror going on right now. Let us begin to resolve the problems in this country---illegal immigration---let us begin to pull together and solve existing problems. President Bush is on the right track to work together---not divide this counrty.

I love the windows operating system as it enabled, me a novice, to begin to use the computer. I think we should thank Mr. Gates rather than drag him into court. He was head and shoulders above everyone else in inventing a way for all to compute---he should have the freedom to continue to invent new ways to work.

Our economy is in schambles. Let us put this behind us----I think it is time to accept Microsofts proposal and put this behind us. Many, many people are out of work in this country---we need to grow up and move on.

Thank you



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